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SUBJECT: PRESS SUMMARY - JULY 26

1. SUN (PAGE 1) AP REPORTS PRESIDENT FORD SENT A PERSONAL APPEAL TO BREZHNEV URGING THAT THE SOVIET UNION CURTAIL ITS MICROWAVE BOMBARDMENT OF THE U.S. EMBASSY IN MOSCOW ACCORDING TO SENATOR ROBERT DALE. ALSO WP.
2. SUN (PAGE 2) PHOTO WITH CAPTION SHOWS FORWARD PART OF KIEV IN PICTURE TAKEN BY BRITISH RECON AIRCRAFT.
3. SUN (PAGE B-3) AP FROM MOSCOW REPORTS CHINESE RESTAURANT, OPENED IN HEY DAY OF SOVIET-CHINESE FRIENDSHIP 20 YEARS AGO, HAS LONG SINCE LOST ITS CHINESE COOKS AND ITS FOOD REFLECTS THE LUKEWARM STATE OF RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO RIVAL COMMUNIST POWERS.
4. SUN (PAGE C-4) AP FROM MONTREAL SAYS SOME 200 UKRAINIAN DEMONSTRATORS TORE DOWN AND BURNED A SOVIET FLAG AT OLYMPIC STADIUM BUT THERE WERE NO ARRESTS.
5. WP (PAGE 12) AROUND WORLD ITEM FROM MOSCOW SAYS UNCLASSIFIED

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THE FIRST PICTURE TAKEN OF THE KIEV SINCE IT ENTERED THE

MED A WEEK AGO WAS CARRIED ON THE FRONT PAGE OF THE RED STAR TO MARK THE CELEBRATION OF NAVY DAY.

6. STAR (PAGE 2) BRIEF UPI ITEM FROM SAN FRANCISCO REPORTS RUSSIAN WHALER SAVES 14 KOREAN FISHERMEN.
7. STAR (PAGE 4) "THE WORLD" SECTION SAYS THE RUSSIANS SUFFERED THEIR THIRD STRAIGHT FAILURE THIS YEAR IN TESTING A SATELLITE-DESTROYER SYSTEM ACCORDING TO U.S. INTELLIGENCE SOURCES.

8. STAR (PAGE 4) AP REPORTS THAT SPECIAL TESTS TO DETECT GENETIC DAMAGE WERE RUN BY STATE ON EMPLOYEES RETURNING FROM MOSCOW DURING THE 1960S BECAUSE OF CONCERN OVER POSSIBLE EFFECTS OF MICROWAVE RADIATION ACCORDING TO DOCTORS FAMILIAR WITH THE STUDY BUT SAYS DR. CECIL B. JACOBSON, WHO OVERSAW THE ANALYSIS OF THE TEST SAMPLES AT A GW UNIVERSITY LAB, "THINGS WERE NEVER REALLY CONCLUSIVE". KISSINGER

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